

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

MR. HOSPITALITY GROUP LLC

Case # 2:24-cv-00649

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

QARMA GROUP LLC D/B/A QUEEN
LAS VEGAS

Defendant(s).

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Catherine F. Hoffman, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Baker Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell Berkowitz, PC

(firm name)

with offices at 200 E. Broward Blvd., Suite 2000,
(street address)

Fort Lauderdale, Florida, 33301,
(city) (state) (zip code)

954-768-1600, choffman@bakerdonelson.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Mr. Hospitality Group LLC to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since October 20, 1989, Petitioner has been and presently is a
 (date)
 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of Florida
 (state)
 where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
U.S. Supreme Court	10/14/2014	292248
U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Florida	08/02/2016	828459
U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Florida	05/04/2011	828459
U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida	08/03/1992	828459

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

None

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

(State "none" if Petitioner is not a member of other Bar Associations.)

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied	
04/29/2021	SBD Apparel Limited v. Stronghouse Gym LLC et al	District of Nevada	Granted	<input type="checkbox"/>
	2:21-cv-00421-JAD-EJY		Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Denied	<input type="checkbox"/>

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
 2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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 4 STATE OF Florida ☐ }
 5 COUNTY OF Broward }

Petitioner's signature

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 7 Catherine F. Hoffman, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
 8 That the foregoing statements are true.

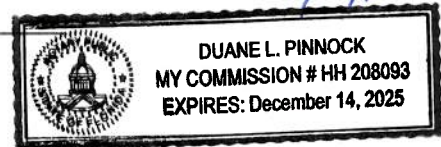
Petitioner's signature

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 10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11 9th day of April, 2024.

☒ Personally Known
☒ Physically Appeared

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 13 [Signature]
 14 Notary Public or Clerk of Court



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 16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
 17 THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

18 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
 19 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Kevin D. Everage,
 20 (name of local counsel)
 21 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
 22 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
 23 said designated Nevada counsel is:

24 3883 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 800,
 25 (street address)

26 Las Vegas,
 27 (city)

Nevada,
 28 (state)

89169,
 (zip code)

702-550-4400,
 (area code + telephone number)

keverage@dickinsonwright.com,
 (Email address)

By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations binding on all of us.

APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL

The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Kevin D. Everage as
(name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

(party's signature)

(type of print party name, title)

(party's signature)

MATHEW MASSA MR. HOSPITALITY GROUP MANAGEMENT
(type or print party name, title) INC. - MGR

CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

15913

Bar number

keverage@dickinsonwright.com

Email address

APPROVED:

Dated: this 10 day of April, 2024.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



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County of Leon)

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Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301-1927

I CERTIFY THE FOLLOWING:

I am the custodian of membership records of The Florida Bar.

Membership records of The Florida Bar indicate that The Florida Bar member listed above was admitted to practice law in the state of Florida on **October 20, 1989**.

The Florida Bar member above is an active member in good standing of The Florida Bar who is eligible to practice law in the state of Florida.

Dated this 2nd day of **April, 2024**.

Cynthia B. Jackson, CFO
Administration Division
The Florida Bar

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